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bis second season. His four concerts will be given December 18 and 28, 1948, and January 1 and 8, 1949 GENE KRUFA surprised lowing his short appearance at many visitors to the Canamer Strand Theatre several when he included many classical organised and is playing the band played Stravinsky's "Piraband Pla

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